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Jorg Fruchtel
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Please find attached a Response to Restriction Requirement and a Petition for Extension of Time.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 14, 2008, please amend and reconsider the instant application in view of the following amendments and remarks. A Petition for a Three-month Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) is submitted herewith, to extend the time for reply through July 14, 2008.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 13.